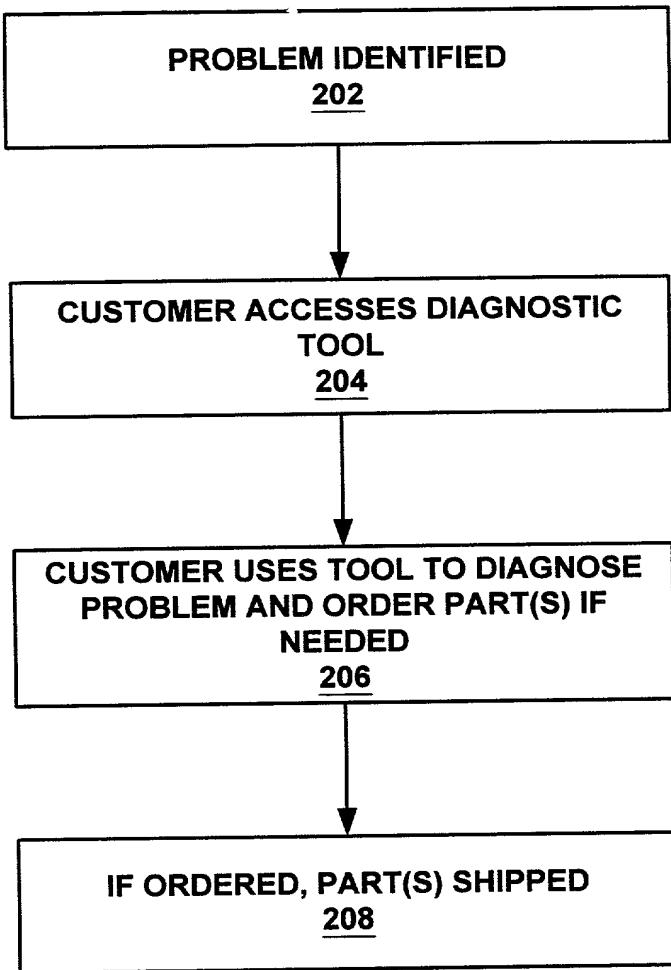
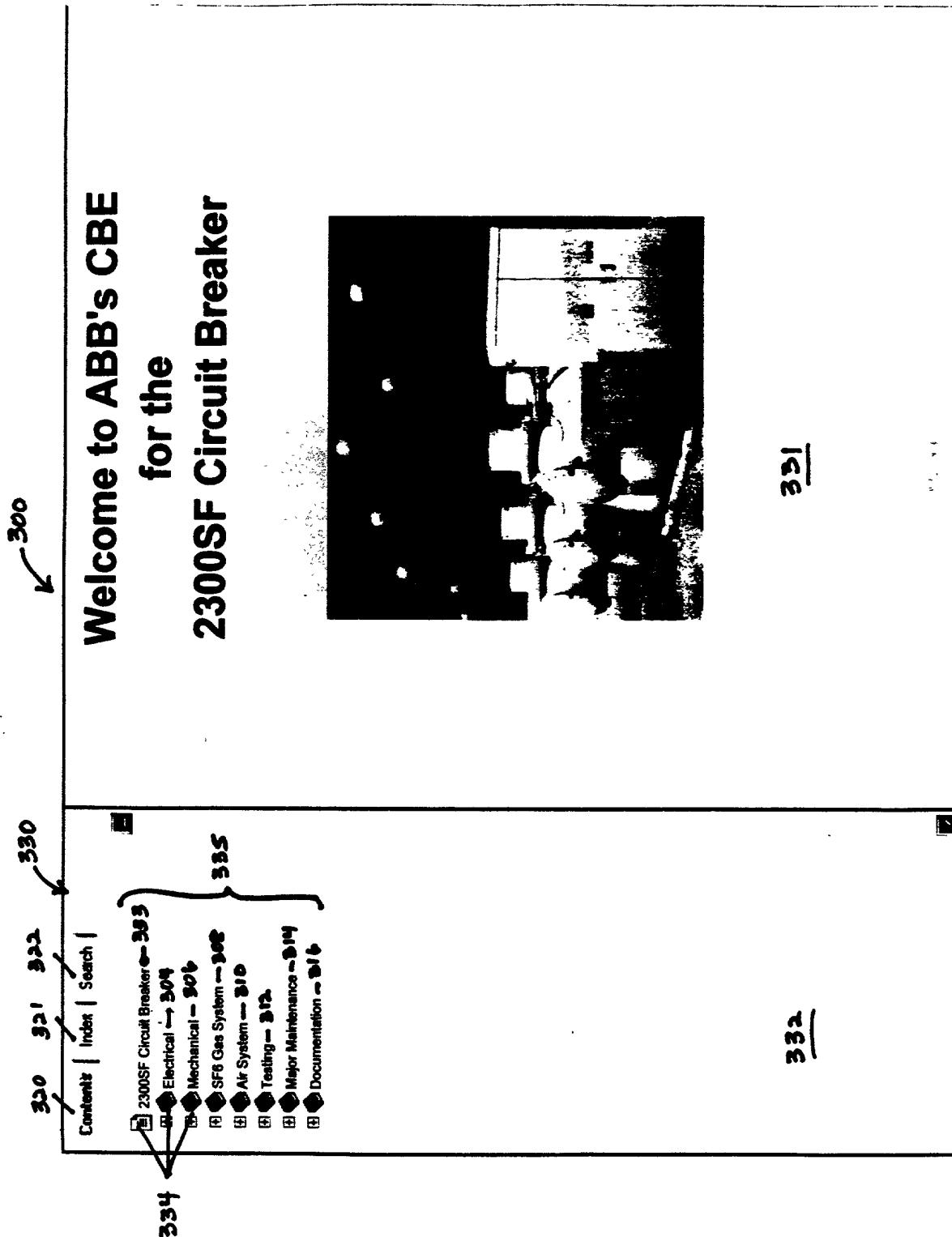


FIGURE 1 (PRIOR ART)



**FIGURE 2**

**FIGURE 3**



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2300SF Fails to move to closed position

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Breaker fails to move to the closed position (Breaker does not move)

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Do these steps in order and try to operate the breaker at least 5 times at normal operating pressure after each step or until the unit fails to operate once:

- I. Verify there is proper voltage. — 420
- II. Verify the closing relay (x-relay) is operating properly. Schematic — 424
- III. Verify the pilot valve is operating properly.

A. Check the closing relay (x-relay). Determine if there is an open circuit in the coil or if the contacts of the x-relay in the closing circuit are burned or have a high resistance when closed. If either of these conditions exist, replace the contact of the coil. Provide the serial number of the breaker so that the proper coil or contact can be identified.

A. Check the pilot valve for A) An open circuit coil B) A sticking pilot valve C) A defective solenoid. If the pilot valve is sticking, operate the breaker by depressing the manual operating button to determine if this eliminates the problem. Over the years, there were three different pilot valves applied to this breaker. One was the Westinghouse valve, the second was a Ross valve, and

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FIGURE 4a



### Breaker fails to move to the closed position (Breaker does not move)

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#### III. Verify the pilot valve is operating properly.

##### A. Check the pilot valve for A) An open circuit coil B) A sticking pilot valve C) A defective solenoid. If the pilot valve

is sticking, operate the breaker by depressing the manual operating button to determine if this eliminates the problem. Over the years, there were three different pilot valves applied to this breaker. One was the Westinghouse valve, the second was a Ross valve, and the third was a Norgren valve. Neither these valves nor their spare parts are supplied.

The replacement for all of these valves is the ABB pilot valve P/N 5861BB1GA1. If the pilot valve is an ABB pilot valve, and the coil has an open circuit, replace the coil with ABB # 4044B76H02 (6volt, 8watts). If the coil has continuity, but there is no air flow through the pilot valve when the coil is energized, replace the solenoid with ABB # 4044B76H01. If it is determined that it is necessary to replace the solenoid and coil as an assembly, order ABB # 4044B76G01.

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indication of continuity, verify that the latch check switch is adjusted properly. See VIII. B for adjustment procedure.

Replace with ABB # 8931Q34G05. 452

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roller lever should be .030" +/- .005". See video. Note - Do NOT adjust the small elastic stop nut at the top of the resilient stop assembly. This adjustment is to preset the compression on the rubber member inside of the resilient stop assembly. If it has been disturbed, or to check for proper adjustment, the hole for the spanner wrench in the head of the piston assembly should be even with the housing.

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- Be certain the mounting bolts of the trip unit are tight. Then adjust the trip unit. The air gap for the trip armature should be approximately  $3/16"$ . This adjustment is made by varying the height of the resilient stop bar.

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FIGURE 45

**Moisture content****I. Low pressure system**

**A. The moisture content in the SF<sub>6</sub> low pressure system should be below 300 ppm.** If the moisture exceeds this, the gas must be dried. Refer to the appropriate instruction book for the drying procedure as identified on the breaker nameplate.

**II. High pressure system**

**A. The moisture content in the SF<sub>6</sub> high pressure system should be less than 60 ppm.** Refer to the appropriate instruction book for the drying procedure as identified on the breaker nameplate.

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**III. See the field advisory on moisture content in the 2300SF/242SF circuit breaker.**

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- Verify the accelerating spring going solid. To do this, close the breaker and measure the dimension from the outside of the spring plate to the outside of the accelerating spring cover ("X"). Then measure the dimension from the outside of the accelerating spring cover to the lever box ("Y"). Subtract "X" from "Y". The dimension should be no less than 13 1/2". If it is less, there is a possibility the spring is going solid. This is not a good condition since it may cause the spring to become weak. Drawing ~ 451

**c. The instruction book for reference is IB # 33-456-C4H. — 452**

**13. Perform timing tests as indicated in section 8 of FPE 89-5. — 453**

**FIGURE 4c**

## PILOT VALVE & ADAPTER KIT 5861B81G01

For all AA-7, AA-10, AA-14, & CAS-8 Mechanism Control Valves on  
Oil Circuit Breakers  
and  
138 / 230 kV Dead Tank Gas Breakers with 'AA-10R80' Mechanisms\*

- Except 362kV and above of Type 'SF' and 'SFA' Gas Circuit Breakers  
with 'AH-7' and 'AH-10' Mechanisms

### Kit Description

This kit contains parts and instructions for easy replacement of obsolete pilot valves used on control valves on the above mechanisms on oil and gas circuit breakers. The kit contains all parts and adapters necessary to install the modern 'ABB' pilot valve which is included. An adjustable resistor is supplied to reduce the closing control voltages for 48, 125, and 250 VDC applications.

Connection instructions are illustrated on Page 9. A manual override push button is located on the pilot valve on the opposite side of the solenoid coil. The coil and push button location is reversible if so desired.

### Safety Precautions

Safe operating practices should be followed at all times when performing maintenance on the breaker.

Before starting the pilot valve replacement procedure, be sure to:

1. Place the breaker in the open position
2. Isolate the breaker from the system by opening the disconnect switches
3. Solidly ground all bushings
4. Remove all AC and DC power from the breaker
5. Open the air reservoir drain valve and exhaust the air to zero psig

### Illustrated Parts Assembly

Find the page with an illustration that matches your mechanism and pilot valve combination among the enclosed pages. Some of the later vintage mechanisms may have Norgren pilot valves and adapters. Discard these parts and replace as shown. Connect the pilot valve coil as shown on Page 9.

FIGURE 5a

## "AA-7" MECH WITH "ROSS" CONTROL VALVE

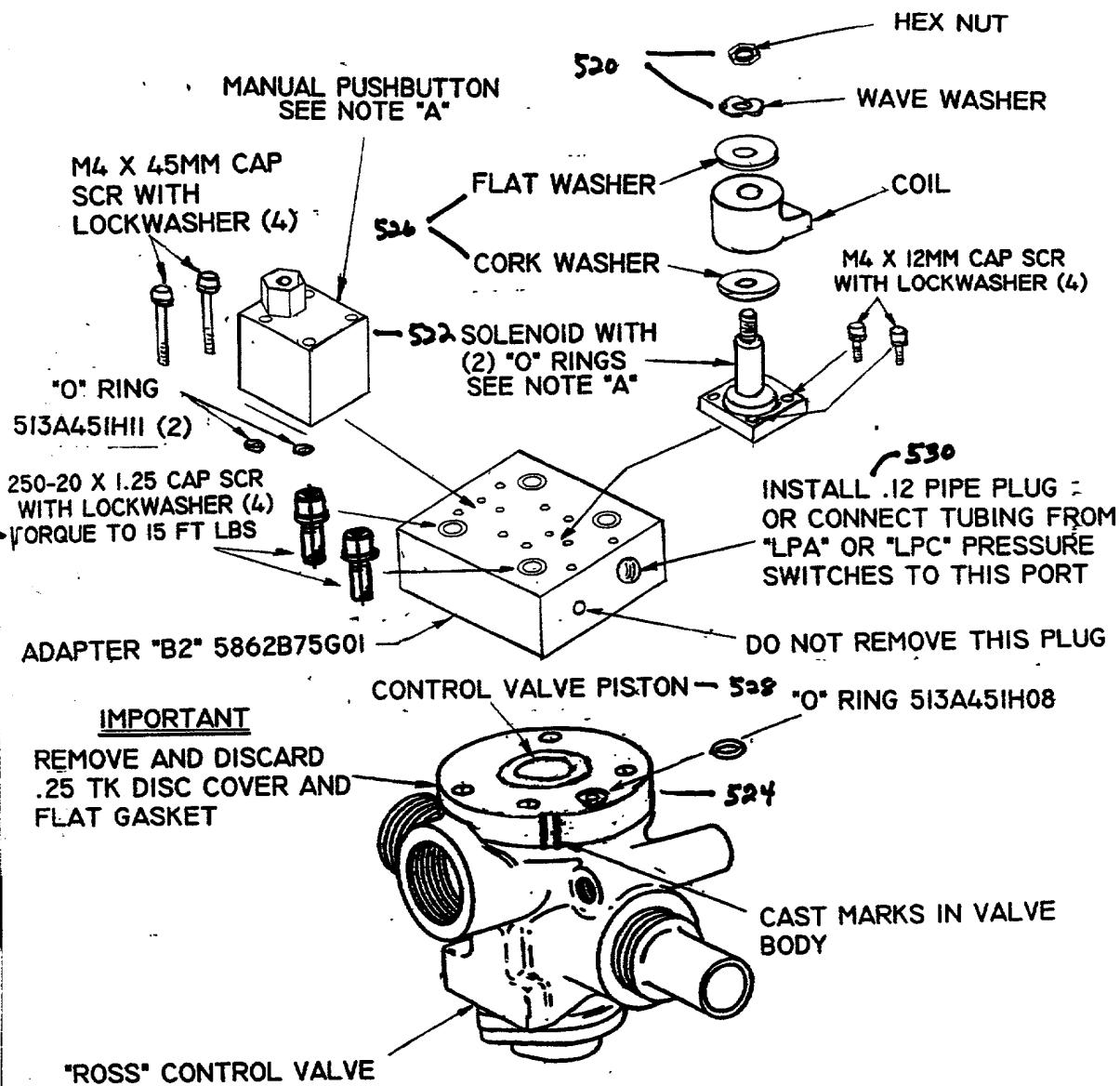
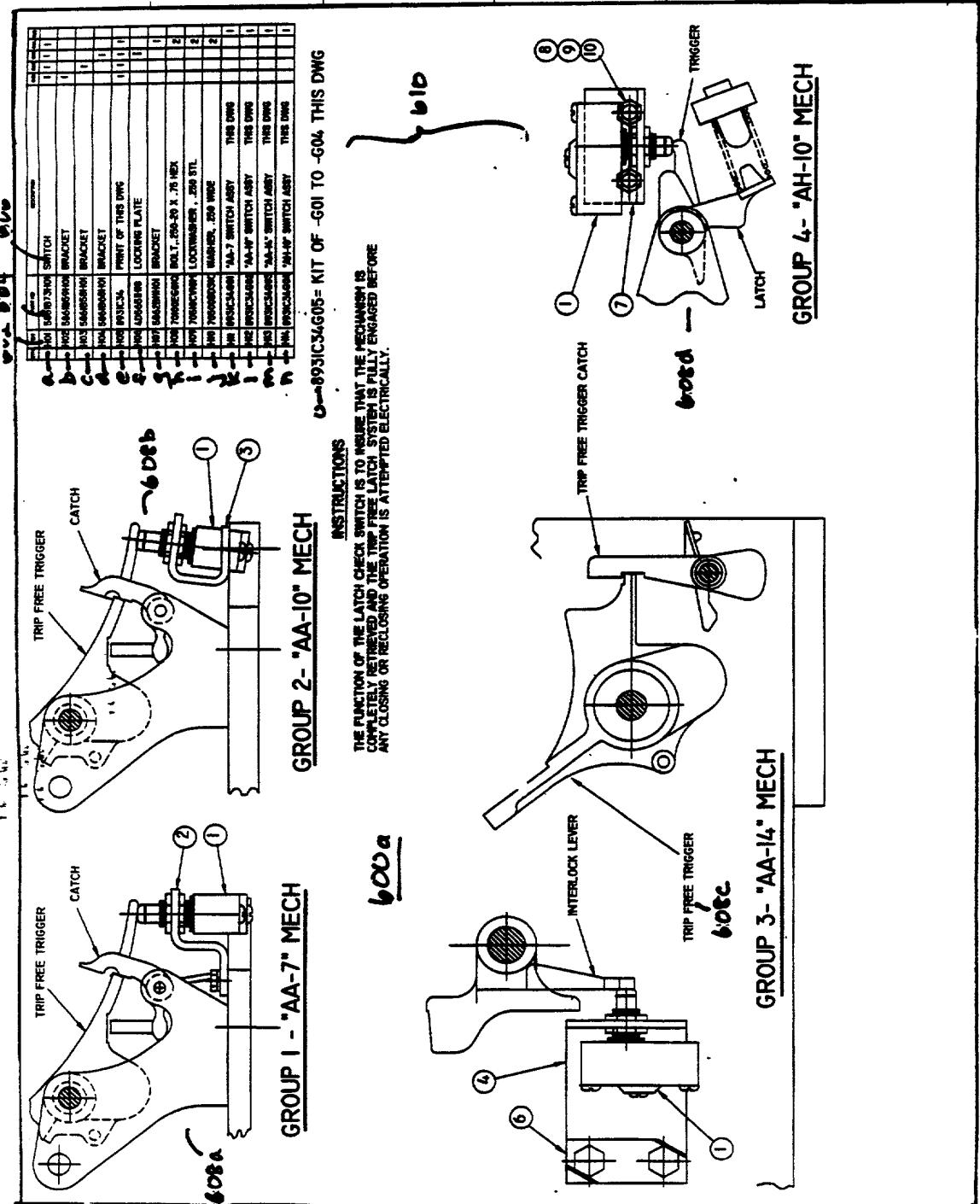


FIGURE 5b



## Figure 6a

Order form

Ordering Form

Send quotation to:

Company Name: -620

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Contact Name: -622

Shipping address: -624

Billing Address: -624

E-mail: -628

Telephone: -680

Fax: -632

Payment: -634

VISA, M/C, AMEX

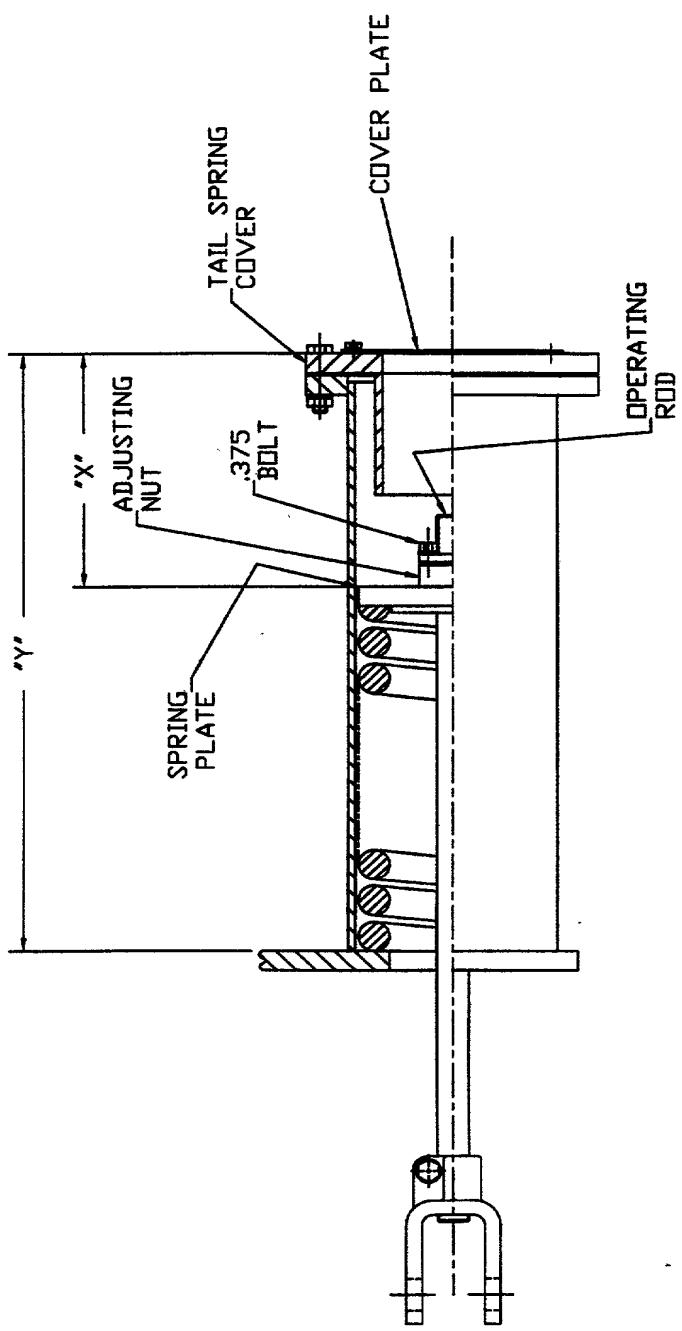
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Name on card -636

Card number: -640

FIGURE 6b

FIGURE 7



TYPE 2300SF ACCELERATING SPRING ASSEMBLY

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**Major Maintenance Checklist**

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Station \_\_\_\_\_ Breaker I.D.# \_\_\_\_\_  
Date(s) of Maintenance \_\_\_\_\_ Serviced by \_\_\_\_\_

1. Nameplate Data

a. Breaker Type \_\_\_\_\_ Amp \_\_\_\_\_  
Year of Manufacture \_\_\_\_\_ I.B. \_\_\_\_\_  
Serial / S.O. \_\_\_\_\_

b. Mechanism Type \_\_\_\_\_ I.B. \_\_\_\_\_  
Control Diagram \_\_\_\_\_ Control Voltage \_\_\_\_\_  
Compressor & Heater Voltage \_\_\_\_\_  
Operation Counter Reading as found \_\_\_\_\_ as left \_\_\_\_\_  
Air Compressor Hours \_\_\_\_\_

c. SF<sub>6</sub> System  
Control Diagram \_\_\_\_\_ Compressor Hrs \_\_\_\_\_  
SF<sub>6</sub> Low Pressure \_\_\_\_\_ psig Temperature \_\_\_\_\_  
SF<sub>6</sub> High Pressure \_\_\_\_\_ psig Temperature \_\_\_\_\_

2. General Condition of Breaker \_\_\_\_\_

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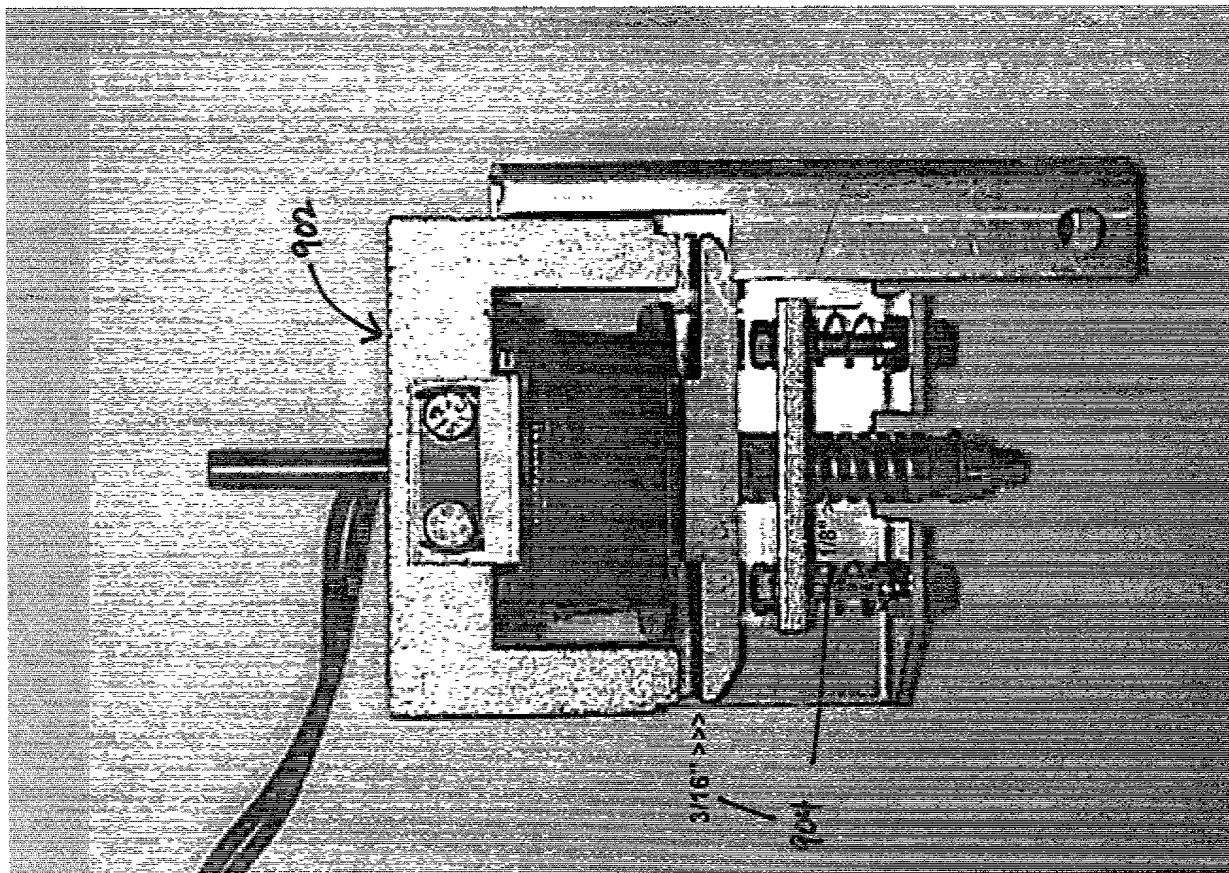
**CAUTION**

Prior to performing inspection of the breaker, trip the breaker and open adjacent breaker disconnect switches. Solidly ground all bushing top terminals to remove the residual electrical charge. (If not grounded, bushings can retain an electrical charge which may cause serious shock to a workman.) Open all A-C and D-C switches, and close the main hand-operated air shut-off valve between the air reservoir and mechanism. Bleed trapped air by depressing the manual over-ride push button on the pilot valve.

3. External Checks:  
3.1 Pre-Maintenance Tests  
a1. Leak check  
Location of leaks found \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
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**FIGURE 8**

FIGURE 9



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